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1.1.1 The below tables provide demographic data that has been used to support the People and Communities assessment provided in Chapter 12, Volume 6.1. The tables show population age averages for the LIA, district, region and England.

Table A.1 Population - children (under 16 years)

Location	Total population, 2016	Children (under 16 years)	%
LIA	680	127	19%
South Somerset	165,645	29,002	18%
South West	5,515,953	967,759	18%
England	55,268,067	10,529,100	19%

Source: ONS, Annual Mid-year population estimates, 2016¹

Table A.2 Population - young people (16-24 years)

Location	Total population, 2016	Young people (16-24 years)	%
LIA	680	65	10%
South Somerset	165,645	14,898	9%
South West	5,515,953	597,059	11%
England	55,268,067	6,137,832	11%

Source: ONS, Annual Mid-year population estimates, 2016

Table A.3 Population - working age population (16-64 years)

Location	Total population, 2016	Working age population (16-64 years)	%
LIA	680	372	55%
South Somerset	165,645	95,884	58%
South West	5,515,953	3,357,259	61%
England	55,268,067	34,856,126	63%

Source: ONS, Annual Mid-year population estimates, 2016

Table A.4 Population - older people (65+ years)

Location	Total population, 2016	Older people (65+ years)	%
LIA	680	181	27%
South Somerset	165,645	40,759	25%
South West	5,515,953	1,190,935	22%
England	55,268,067	9,882,841	18%

Source: ONS, Annual Mid-year population estimates, 2016

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¹ ONS (2016): 'Population estimates – local authority based by five-year age band' (last accessed March 2018)